

# THE CHRONICLE

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CROSSFIELD ALBERTA. THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 10th, 1914

PRICE \$1 A YEAR.

## LAUT BROS.

### Apples! Apples!!

We are more than grateful to our many customers who purchased apples from us during the past week, and we more than ever appreciate the fact that Crossfield people prefer quality goods to doubtful bargains.

We still continue our sale at the same prices :-

No. 1	{ JONATHANS KINGS HUBBARDSONE BAILEY SWEET GREENINGS }	\$1.50 per box
No. 2	{ ONTARIO RED WAGNERS JONATHANS }	\$1.25 per box

These prices are lower than most of the Calgary stores are asking for the same quality of apples, and finer stock is not being shown anywhere. Remember that winter apples will no doubt be higher later, and buying a few boxes now is a good investment. If you have not already seen our No. 1 stock, be sure and do so this week.

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## Local and General

### CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION.

The Rev. J. P. Dingle will conduct Morning Service at the above church on Sunday next, November 22nd. Holding Evening Service at Airdrie.

The U.F.A. were busy last week end unloading a car of apples and one of salt. We surmise those left in the car over Sunday would be claimed by Jack Frost.

Although the night was so very unfavourable the dance held at the Inverlea school was a success, and all those attending enjoyed themselves thoroughly. We are pleased to announce that the nice sum of \$32 has been handed in for the local Patriotic Fund.

Don't forget that you are invited to the Social in the Union Church, on Thursday evening, Nov. 26th, at 8 p.m., under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid. A Programme is being prepared, and a social time is assured. Lunch will be served and a collection will be taken.

The date for the Women's Public Meeting has been arranged to take place on Thursday, December 3rd. The members are requested to keep this in mind and to invite their husbands and any friends who may be interested in the work of the Institute or in helping with an enjoyable time. The Belgian Relief Fund is to receive the collection.

On the first Monday in December nominations will be asked for candidates for the Village Council.

Mr. W. Stock who is the local agent for the Ontario Steam Laundry would call the attention of the public to the fact that he dispatches all clothes received on Tuesdays.

A Christian Convention will be held at the Farm of Chas. Hultgren, every day commencing on the 21st day of November and continuing for one week, and possibly two, evening meetings commence at 7.30 p.m. Our meetings have no connection whatever with Russellian, Mormonism, 7th Day-ism, Holy 'Rollerism' or other modern extravaganzas. Our message is "Jesus only" as Saviour, Lord and example for all.

CHAS. HULTGREN.

A Masquerade Dance will take place in the Beaverdam School, on the evening of Friday, November 20th. The Proceeds in aid of the Patriotic Fund.

The Ladies' of the Tan-y-Bryn Sewing Circle will meet at Mrs. W. Brown's on Wednesday, 26th inst., at 11.30 a.m. Any members having cast off clothing are asked to bring same to the meeting for the Belgian Relief Fund.

We have a number of clients wanting to rent Farms in the Crossfield and Carstairs districts. If you want to secure a good tenant for your Farm send a full description of land and buildings, amount in cultivation, water, fencing, terms, etc., to Hays Brothers, Carstairs, Alberta.

If you want to Sell your Land, List it with me at once I Have numerous enquiries. If you require to renew your old Loan or take out a new one, call and see me, as I can save you money. I represent The Canada Life, and others.

Chas. Hultgren.

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Men's Vici Kid Blucher Shoes, felt lined, felt sole \$3.50 & \$3.75 value, **\$2.95**

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Men's High Cut, 10 in. leg, leather foxed, vamp, all felt lined felt sole with leather outsole, rubber heel, a real cold defier, worth \$4.75 for **\$3.95**

Men's Dongola Shoes, full flannel lined, full rubber soles and heels, regular \$5.50 value for **\$4.50**

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Women's Dongola foxed, felt top shoes, leather sole and heel, patent leather trimmed. Solid comfort and dressy, \$2.75 value, for **\$2.25**

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# Halliday's

## CROSSFIELD.

Look Over Our Children's Wool Hose.

### Council Meetings

The council of the Village of Crossfield will meet in the Council Chamber over Fire Hall on the first Monday of each month, commencing with February at the hour of 8 o'clock p.m.

By Order of the Village Council  
W. McIlroy, Sec.-Treas.

### Lodge Cards

#### CROSSFIELD LODGE I. O. O. F.

No.  42

Meets Every Wednesday Night in the Oddfellows Hall at 8 p.m.  
Visiting Brethren Welcome.

A. JESSIMAN, S. COLLINS,  
Fin. Sec'y. Rec.-Sec'y.

#### Crossfield School District No. 753

The Regular Meeting of the above school Board will be held at the school house at 10 a.m. on the first Saturday in the following months: January, March, May, July, September and November. All matters of business pertaining to this district will be attended to at this meeting.

The office of the Sec.-Treas. is in the Hardware Store next door to the Chronicle.  
A. R. THOMAS, Chairman,  
E. S. McIlroy, Sec.-Treas.

### Farm Wanted.

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Carstairs, Alberta.

### CROSSFIELD LOCAL & GENERAL.

Mr. Mossop has tendered his resignation as village constable. This office is separate from any other.

Ontkes and Thomas have shipped two car of hogs this week. G. L. Gordon shipped one car.

M. Mecklenburg, A.M., the reliable Eye Specialist will again visit Crossfield on Monday, November 30th. Carstairs on Tuesday, Dec. 1st. If you have anything wrong with your eyes, or your glasses don't suit you come and see me.

Councillor H. W. Wood, of Carstairs, gave a very interesting address to those assembled at the Union Church. Mr. Wood spoke on many needed reforms social and otherwise, mostly those effecting the farming community more particularly. In conclusion he said the Christian Church had been working on wrong lines. If the world had to be Christianised, it would have to be done by spiritually minded men and women.

The funeral of the late Alderman W. J. Tregillus, which took place on Monday afternoon, was attended by a great concourse of people. The number present at the First Baptist church showing the esteem and respect in which the deceased man was held by those who knew him. The Rev. J. C. Sycamore, pastor of the church made a touching tribute to the deceased gentleman. There were representatives present from many organizations with which the late Alderman was connected.

The cortege was escorted to the Union cemetery by six mounted police under Sergt. Kendall.

The Women's Institute have arranged their Social for Thursday, December 3rd. They would like all the members and friends of the Society to keep the date in mind.

The whist drive and dance which took place in the Canadian Bank of Commerce rooms on Friday night last was quite a good time for those who were there. Owing to the bad weather very few from the country were able to get.

The body of Field Marshal Lord Roberts was conveyed to England yesterday for interment, which took place in St. Paul's Cathedral to-day. The late Lord Roberts' will be laid near the remains of some of Britain's most famous sons.

A number of men of the first Canadian contingent are to be sent back from Salisbury Plain. The names of the 42 "misfits" will not be published.

Thirty tons of books, namely 60,000 volumes, have arrived at the Salisbury camp for the use of the Canadians. Periodicals are being received by the car load.

HER PREFERENCE.—Young Mawks had decided to enlist and go to war, and his wife was objecting.

"But Darling," he argued, even if I were killed, just think how fine it would be to be the widow of a hero.

"Oh, no, Wilfred," pleaded the young wife earnestly, her mind reverting to a familiar proverb; "I would rather be the wife of a live jackass than a dead lion."

A kind word loops the loop.

If you can't smile, pretend you have a cracked lip.

The only man who ever succeeded through watching the clock was a train dispatcher.

Have you ordered your Private Christmas cards yet? Call at the Chronicle office, and see samples.

### Red Cross Society.

The Society would be glad if members and workers also have any work completed would kindly bring same to Mrs. Manning Hon. Sec., so that a parcel may be sent to the Alberta Head Branch.

The Red Cross Badges have now been received, and can be had from any officers of the society, price 10c. New members enrolled this week: Mrs. Birch, Mr. McKinnon.

### Russia Has Become A Dry Country.

Prohibition became general in all Russia on the 18th. Not a drop of vodka, whisky or any other kind of intoxicating drink is obtainable.

Prohibition in Russia must be taken literally, it is no partial attempt to curtail the drink question. It does mean that a vast population who consumed \$1,000,000,000 worth of vodka a year, has been lifted in almost a day to sobriety.

### ESTRAY.

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### SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS

THE sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. Applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any Dominion Lands Agency (but not Sub-Agency), on certain conditions.

Duties.—Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres, on certain conditions. A habitable house is required except where residence is performed in the vicinity.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price \$3.00 per acre.

Duties.—Six months' residence in each of three years after earning homestead patent; also 60 acres extra cultivation. Pre-emption patent may be obtained as soon as homestead patent, on certain conditions.

A settler who has exhausted his homestead right may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$3.00 per acre. Duties.—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate fifty acres and erect a house worth \$300.00.

The area of cultivation is subject to reduction in case of rough, scrubby or stony land. Live stock may be substituted for cultivation under certain conditions.

W. W. CORY, C.M.G.,  
Deputy of the Minister of the Interior, N.B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for

### For Sale

For Sale.—A SECTION OF UPLAND HAY.—For particulars apply or address A. J. STONE, 4 miles S.W. of Crossfield P.O. Box 144.

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ROBERT WHITFIELD,  
Printer and Publisher.

CROSSFIELD, ALTA., NOV. 19, 1914.

### Canadian Patriotic Fund. South Alberta Branch.

Cochrane, Oct. 28th, 1914.

To the Citizens of the Electoral District of Cochrane:—

The Canadian Patriotic Fund was inaugurated by his Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught, and incorporated by Act of the Dominion Parliament, the object of which is to provide for the needs of the wives, families and dependent relatives of those who have gone to the front to fight in the battles of Great Britain and her Allies. Under authority from the Central Committee at Ottawa, Provincial Branches have been formed, but in Alberta on account of the great distances, it was considered advisable to form two Branches for North and South Alberta. At a regularly called meeting held in Calgary, on Wednesday, Sept. 30, the South Alberta Branch was formed. As Member for your Local Constituency, I am responsible for the organizing of a Local Branch. A Local Branch for the Constituency of Cochrane has been formed, and for the purposes of organization, and to enable a systematic canvass being made, the existing School Districts will be used, and outside of these, in remote districts, special arrangements will be made for collectors to wait upon the residents.

As your representative, therefore, I make an appeal to you.

As you know, a large number of loyal and devoted men have left the shores of Canada for England where they are undergoing training for service at the front, ready and willing at the call of King and Empire to give even life itself in the terrible struggle for upholding the honour of solemn treaty obligations, and in defence of small states which are being crushed under the iron heel of a military despotism. We cannot all give our personal service on the battlefield, but every man with soul of honour, and sense of common justice, will feel that there rests upon him the fullest obligation, a sacred duty and proud privilege, to give, as a citizen of our great Empire, as well as on the grounds of our common humanity, and to the extent of his ability, his material help to the dear and dependent ones—wives and children, and possibly aged parents, whom our brave soldiers have left in our care, trusting with implicit confidence our generous and loving care of them.

Never shall it be said that we have failed to fully discharge this solemn obligation. I need not refer to the awfulness of the mighty struggle now engaged in by the allied forces, more than to remind you, to consider by contrast our peaceful land, far from bloody battle fields, terrors and rude alarms, ghastly carnage, ruined homes, destroyed harvests, and hundreds of thousands of homeless, hungry women and children, even helpless babies and tottering age.

I am further authorized to bring to your sympathetic notice the terrible condition of the Belgian people. This is one of the saddest and most heartrending pictures of all history,

### Turkeys, Ducks, Geese, Fowl and Chicken Wanted, Alive or Dressed.

Now the weather is cool, it is quite safe to ship your poultry dressed. In fact we prefer to receive Spring Chickens and Turkeys dressed. Ducks, Geese and Fowl alive. About Turkeys:—Most people think that Christmas time is the best time to market Turkeys and as a result, now that the production of poultry in Alberta is large, there is a Christmas glut and prices drop. Avoid this by marketing your Turkeys early, as soon as they are in marketable condition. We are paying high prices now. We also buy Eggs, Pigeons and Rabbits, wild or tame.

If you have dressed pork to market, ship to us. We will get you Calgary prices, charging the small commission of 3 per cent. Write for Prices.

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## TOO LATE!!!

*If you are not quick you will be.*  
**Call at this office and look at the Samples of Private GREETING CARDS for Christmas, 1914.**

Through no fault of their King or country, these brave people have been overwhelmed by the stupendous numbers of the German invaders, and the industrious and careful inhabitants, ruthlessly scattered, homeless, and poverty stricken, their cities shelled, their towns and hamlets burnt and destroyed, tens of thousands of helpless women and children flying into France and England for an asylum from the brutal invader. Gifts of all kinds for these poor people, suffering the direct distress will be thankfully received.

I speak to many who have reaped a bountiful harvest, for which prices are high, and to those who, to say the least, have sufficiency of comfort, even during a period when monetary conditions are not favourable.

All who live in this constituency have great reason for thankfulness to God that our lives are fallen in pleasant places, not only for all we possess but also for all we are saved from.

Relying on your prompt and generous aid, I am,

Your obedient servant,  
C. W. FISHER.

### BRAVE BELGIAN BOY.

Among 230 Belgian refugees who were received in Birmingham, Eng. was a boy scout who fell into the hands of the Germans while carrying a despatch to the burgomaster of Brussels. He was questioned and searched, but his despatch was not found. He was then locked up for days, when he managed to escape and eventually delivered his despatch at Brussels.

### Pigs Running at Large.

Many complaints come to hand regarding difficulties between neighbors because of pigs being allowed to run at large.

It does not appear to be generally known that the legislature of 1913 enacted a law to meet such cases. It is known as an "Act for Restraining Dangerous and Mischievous Animals," which reads in part as follows:—

"On information made on oath before a justice of the peace that the accused owns or has in his possession any cross or dangerous or notoriously breechy or mischievous animal or animals, and that the said animal or animals are not confined or restrained in such a manner as to protect the public from injury or loss, such justice may, when the owner of such animal or animals is known, issue a summons directed to such person or persons, requiring the matter of complaint and requiring such accused person or persons to appear before him at a certain time and place therein stated to answer such complaint, and upon conviction on the evidence of two credible witnesses other than the complainant the justice may, make an order, with or without costs requiring the accused to confine or restrain such animal or animals in such a manner as to the justice may appear necessary."

Most justices hold, and the Attorney General's Department approves, that one of the things that would cause an animal to be termed "mischievous" is that it has been known to break through, jump over, or crawl under a lawful fence. It will be observed, therefore, that in order to avail oneself of the protection intended to be given by this Act, the land where an animal is trespassing be surrounded by such a fence. It is not, however, necessary that the entire farm be so enclosed. If the barnyard, the poultry yard or the garden is surrounded by a lawful fence and animals are found trespassing therein they may be proceeded against under this Act.